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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: MATSUO et al. )  
S.N.: 10/572,735 ) Examiner: Jaydi San Martin  
Filed: March 21, 2006 ) Art Unit: 2834  
Confirmation No: 6904 )  
For: PIEZOELECTRIC TRANSFORMER )  
DRIVING APPARATUS AND PIEZO- )  
ELECTRIC TRANSFORMER DRIVING )  
METHOD )  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.312**

M/S: Amendment (1.312)  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant thanks the examiner for the notice of allowance issued in the above case; however, applicant finds that both the examiner and applicant's representative made a mistake in the examiner's amendment discussed on May 28, 2009.

Specifically, in claims 3 and 5, the claims are directed to the third piezoelectric transformer, not the second piezoelectric transformer. Accordingly, the amendment herein is presented to correct the inadvertent error in the examiner's amendment.

**AMENDMENT A**  
(37 C.F.R. 1.111)

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please amend claims 3 and 5 in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.121.

The claims are attached herein on separate sheets.

Very respectfully,

July 27, 2009 / Dennis G. LaPointe /  
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